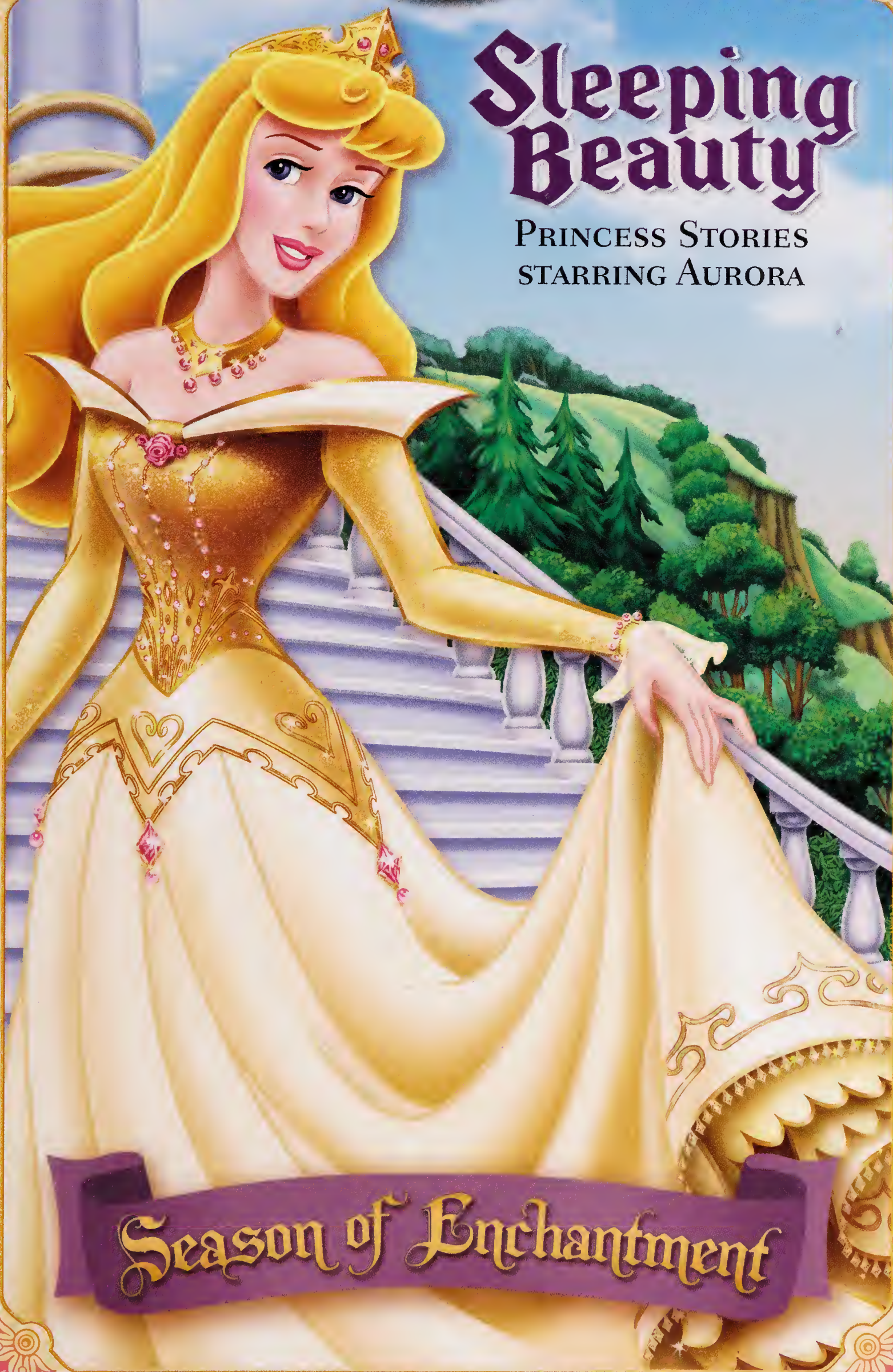




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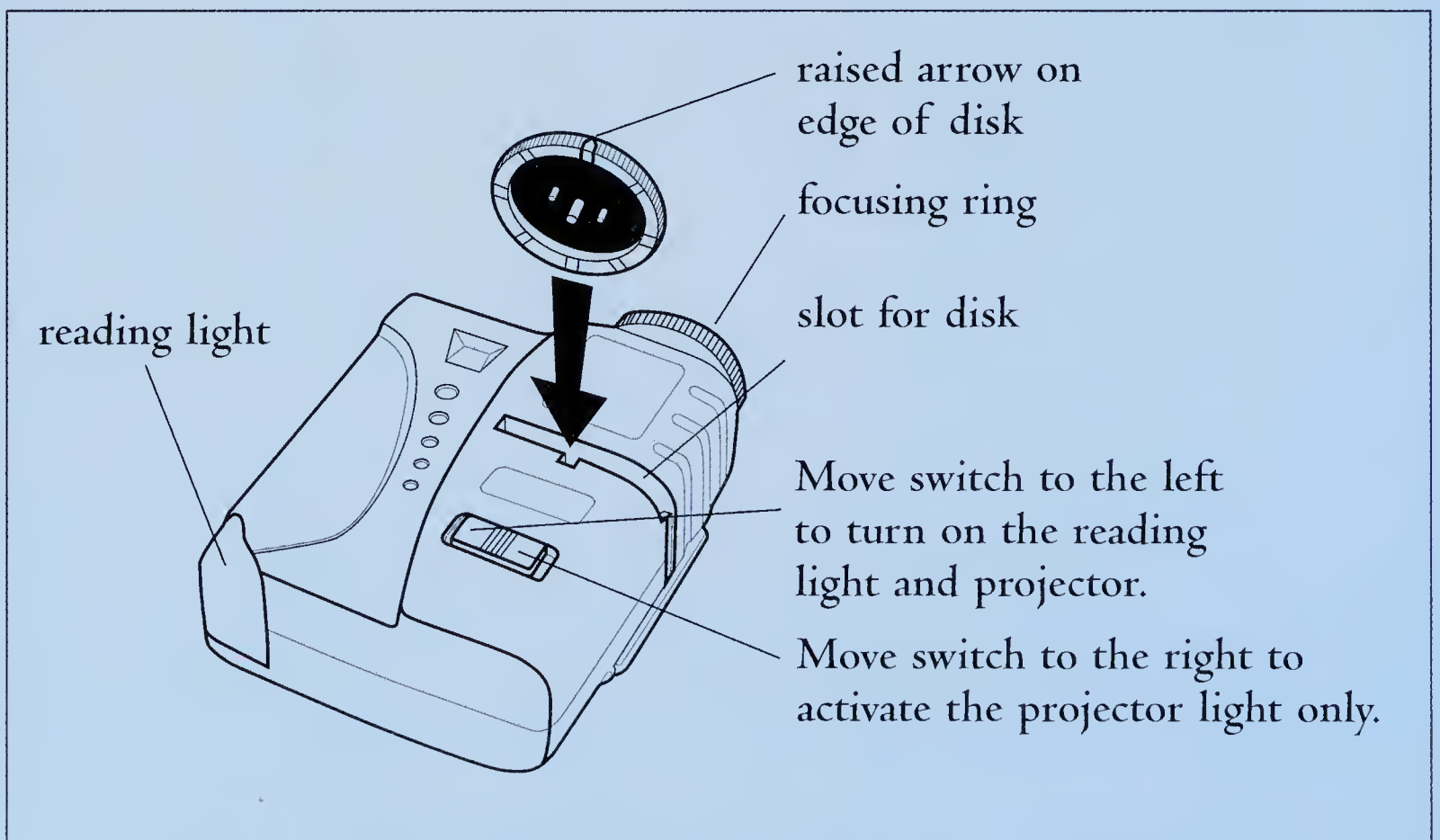
PRINCESS STORIES
STARRING AURORA



Season of Enchantment

How to Use the Projector

- Pick a clear space on a light-colored wall or ceiling three to five feet away.
- Disks are color-coded to match the color shown next to the title of each story. Each story uses two disks. Use disk 1 to begin. Change to disk 2 when indicated in the story.
- Hold the disk so that the raised arrow is on top (see diagram), then slide into the slot in projector.
- Turn the disk to the right as you read through the story. The numbers next to the text correspond to the numbers on the projected images. Use the focusing ring to focus the pictures.



For instructions on how to use the music player, see back page.



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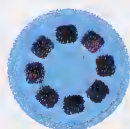
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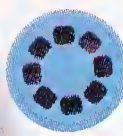
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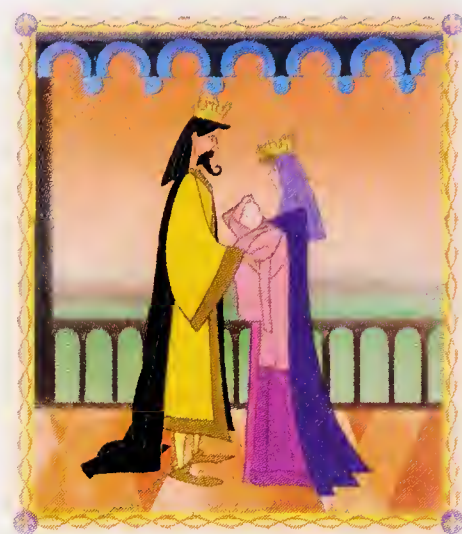
*Aurora in: A Dream Come True
A Music Player Story 12*



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Sleeping Beauty



Once upon a time, there was a king named Stefan. When King Stefan's daughter, Aurora, was born, he invited everyone in the kingdom to join him in a great feast to celebrate the happy occasion. King Hubert and his young son, Phillip, were among the guests, for it had already been decided that Phillip and Aurora would marry someday.

Three good fairies named Flora, Fauna, and Merryweather were also invited, and they came with gifts for the child. Flora gave the baby the gift of beauty. Fauna gave the child the gift of song. But before Merryweather could give her gift, the evil fairy Maleficent

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appeared. She was angry she had not been invited, so she put a curse on the baby. “Before the sun sets on her sixteenth birthday,” Maleficent declared, “she will prick her finger on the spindle of a spinning wheel...and die!”

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Maleficent’s power was so strong that neither Flora, Fauna, nor Merryweather could completely undo the curse. But because Merryweather had not yet given her gift, she was able to change the curse. Instead of dying, the princess would fall asleep and remain that way until she received a kiss from her true love.

To protect Aurora, the fairies took her to a cottage in the woods where they lovingly raised her. So no one would know who she was, the fairies changed her name to Briar Rose.

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Briar Rose grew up not knowing she was a princess, but she was beautiful and good. On her sixteenth birthday, the

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fairies sent her out to pick berries so they could make her a special dress. Briar Rose happily obeyed her dear friends.



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As Briar Rose walked through the woods, she began to sing a love song. Her voice was so beautiful that all the woodland animals gathered to listen.

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A young man on horseback heard the singing, too, and he rode toward the sweet-sounding voice. He was enchanted by Briar Rose's song and he began to sing along with her. At first, she was startled to see the young man and

hear his strong voice

joining with her

own. He seemed like a prince out

of one of her

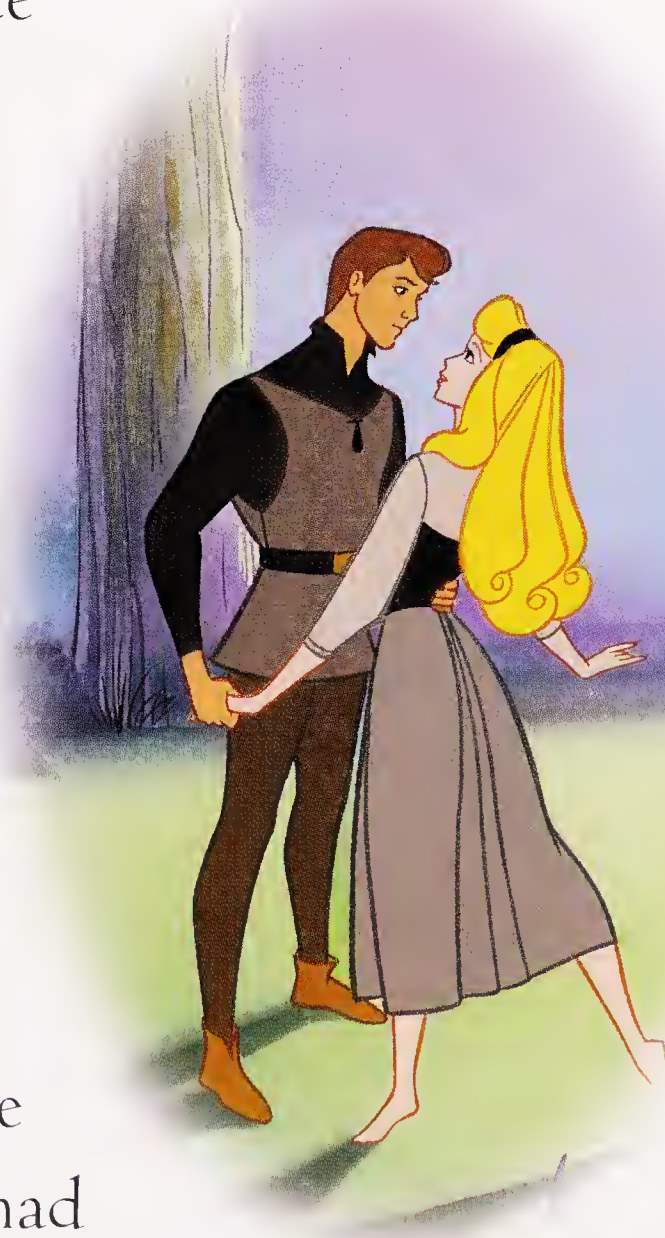
dreams. She was

captivated by

the young man.

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They danced together as they sang, and by the end of the duet, the two young people had fallen deeply in love.



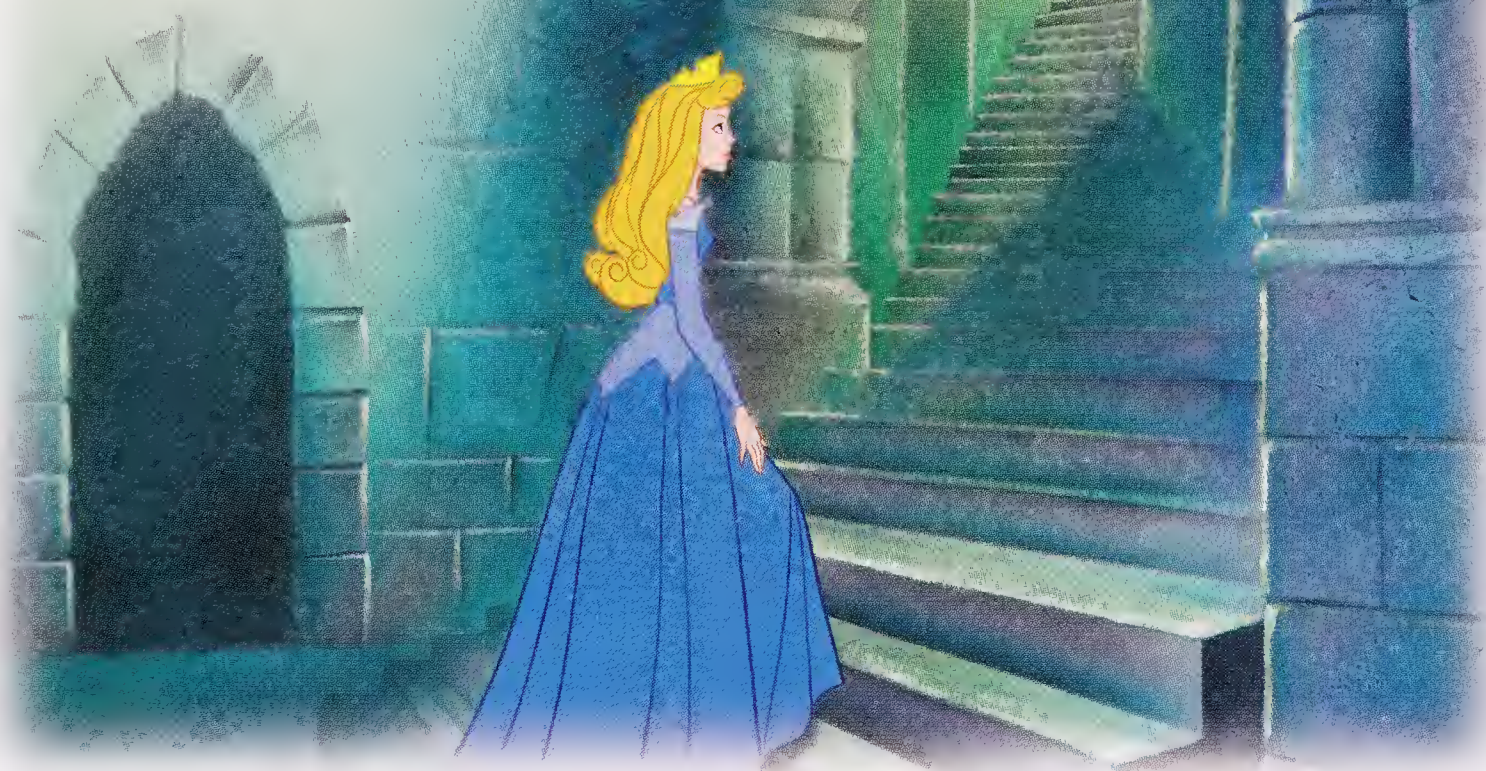


When Briar Rose arrived back at the cottage, she breathlessly told the fairies that she had fallen in love with a young man in the woods. It was then that the fairies had to tell her the truth about her birth and her name. She was heartbroken to learn that she was truly a princess, and was already betrothed to Prince Phillip.

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With a heavy heart, Aurora walked with the fairies back to her father's castle.

Aurora was home at last, but her mind was on her true love. Suddenly, a strange green light caught her eye. She followed the light all the way to the tallest tower in



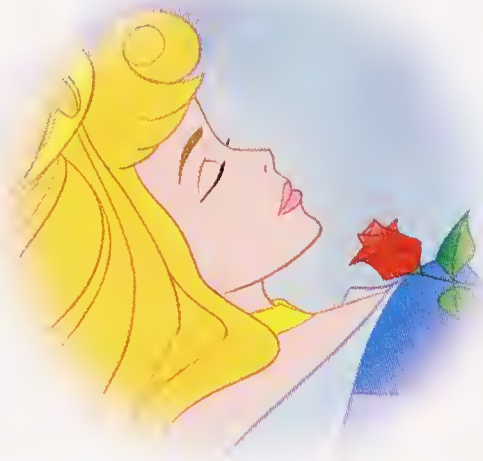
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the castle, where a spinning wheel glowed in the corner. The fairies realized Aurora was in danger, and they raced to stop her from touching the spinning wheel. But before they could stop her, Aurora pricked her finger on the spindle. She instantly fell to the floor and lay motionless.

The fairies laid Aurora gently on her bed. “The king and queen will be heartbroken,” they said.

“To save them from this heartache, we must put everyone else in the kingdom to sleep.”



At the very same time, the young man with whom Aurora had fallen in love came to the cottage looking for her. Instead he met the evil Maleficent.



Maleficent knew the young man was really Prince Phillip, and she quickly chained him in her dungeon.

The good fairies soon discovered his true identity and came to his rescue. They freed the prince and gave him a magic sword and shield to fight Maleficent.

Prince Phillip slashed his way through the brambles surrounding the castle.

Maleficent turned herself into a huge dragon and set fire to the brambles.





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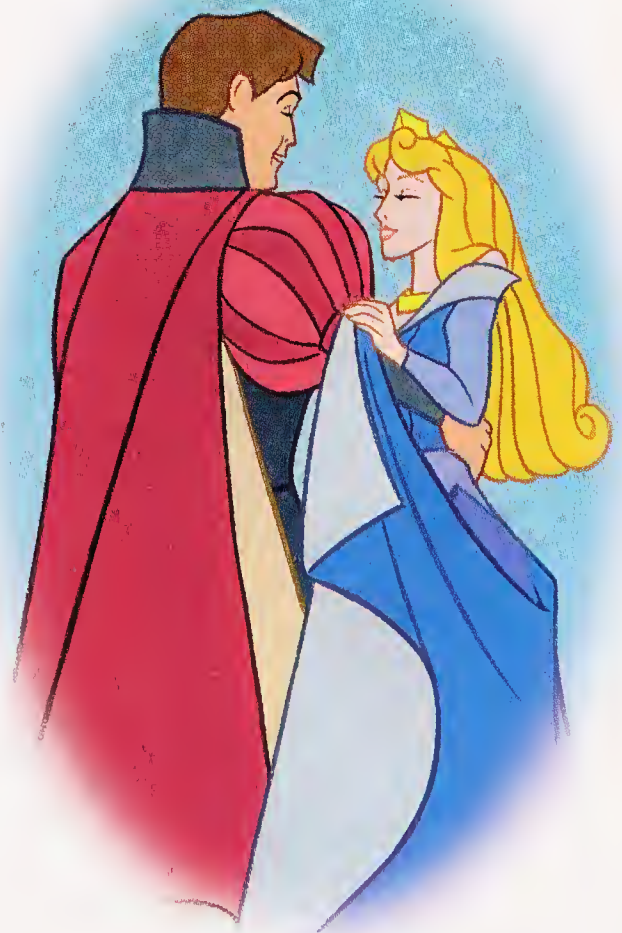
Prince Phillip bravely fought the dragon, using his sword to kill the evil creature. Then he raced to Aurora's side and kissed her. The spell was

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broken! Aurora's eyes opened to see the face of the young man she loved, and all over the kingdom, everyone

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else awoke, too. The fairies were overjoyed as the happy pair joined hands. True love had conquered all!



Play
Song
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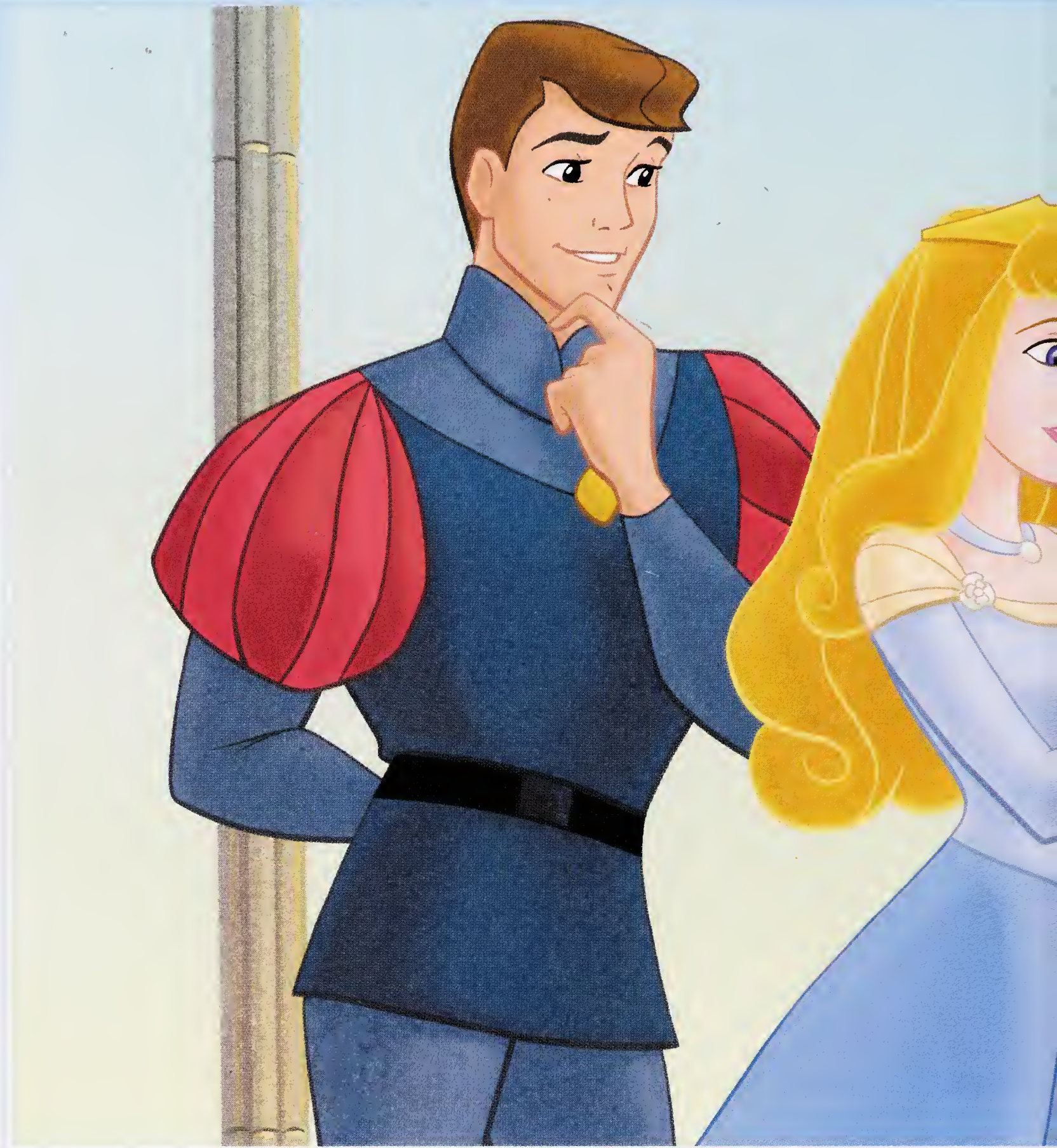


Play
Song
2

Princess Aurora had never been so happy in her life. She was about to marry Prince Phillip, the dearest, most handsome man she had ever met, and the man who had been promised to her since the day she was born. Prince Phillip also happened to be the man of her dreams—really! She remembered the day in the forest when they first met....

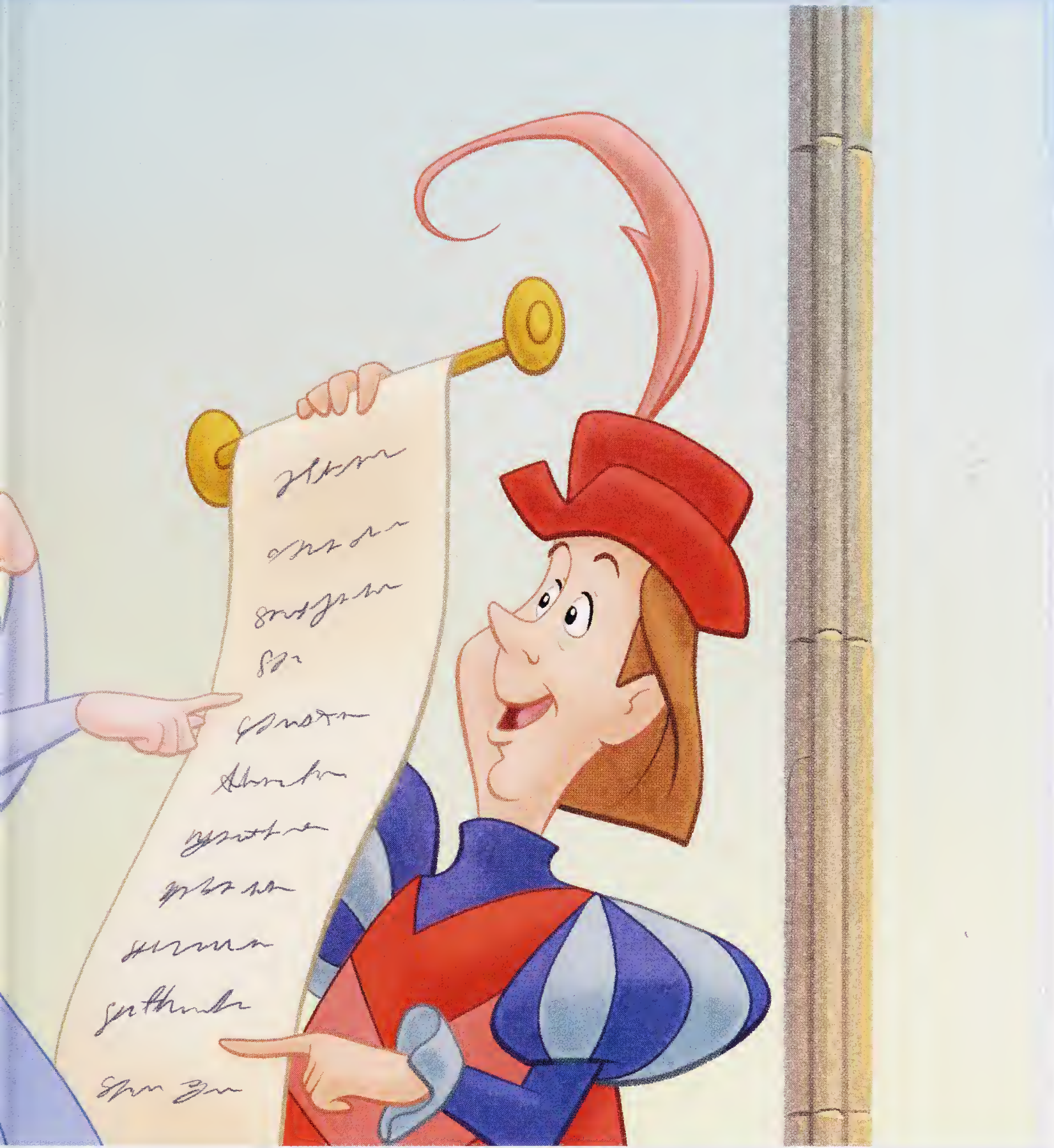


Aurora had been singing to her animal friends about her dream of falling in love with a handsome stranger. Prince Phillip, who happened to be nearby, was enchanted by her angelic voice and set off to find her. As soon as Aurora and Phillip looked into each other's eyes, they felt as if they'd known each other forever. It was true love.



“Princess Aurora!” said the courtier, calling her back to the present. “I’m afraid I need you to go over the list for your engagement party.”

“Oh!” Aurora said, feeling a bit embarrassed as the prince and the courtier hovered nearby.



“Oh, dear!” she said, going down the list. “There’s so much to do! My dress is ready for a fitting. The flowers need arranging. And the cake—what shall we do about the cake?” There was no time for daydreams any longer. It was time to get down to business.



Play
Song
4

Aurora wanted so much to bring her special touch to all the arrangements, but she'd need just a little help. It wasn't



long before the good fairies—Flora, Fauna, and Merryweather—were on the job. With their magic, they seemed to be everywhere at once!



The three fairies performed lots of magic—whipping up a new dress for Aurora, making sure the food was perfect, and helping to decorate the courtyard for the party.



**Play
Song
5**

At last, the day of the party arrived. Prince Phillip surprised Aurora in her dressing room.

“You brought me a garland of flowers from the woods!” exclaimed Aurora. “How perfect!”

“They’re to remind you of the time we first met.” Prince Phillip smiled as the good fairies made their final adjustments and arranged the garland to their liking.

Just before the party, Princess Aurora stole the prince away for a few minutes. “I have something for you,” she said, leading him to the wing of the castle they’d be living in after their wedding.

As they went inside, Prince Phillip looked around happily. “Whoever decorated this has exquisite taste,” said the Prince. “It’s very similar to my own.”

“I decorated it, silly,” said Princess Aurora, delighted at the Prince’s reaction. “This is my wedding gift to you.”

“You know me so well,” said the Prince, falling even more in love with Aurora. “We’re going to have a happy life here.”

“I couldn’t agree more,” said Aurora.





Play
Song
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At last, they headed off to the party. Aurora and Phillip were delighted to greet so many guests. And everyone agreed that the engagement party was the best they had ever been to. It was everything it should be—classic and elegant, festive and fun.

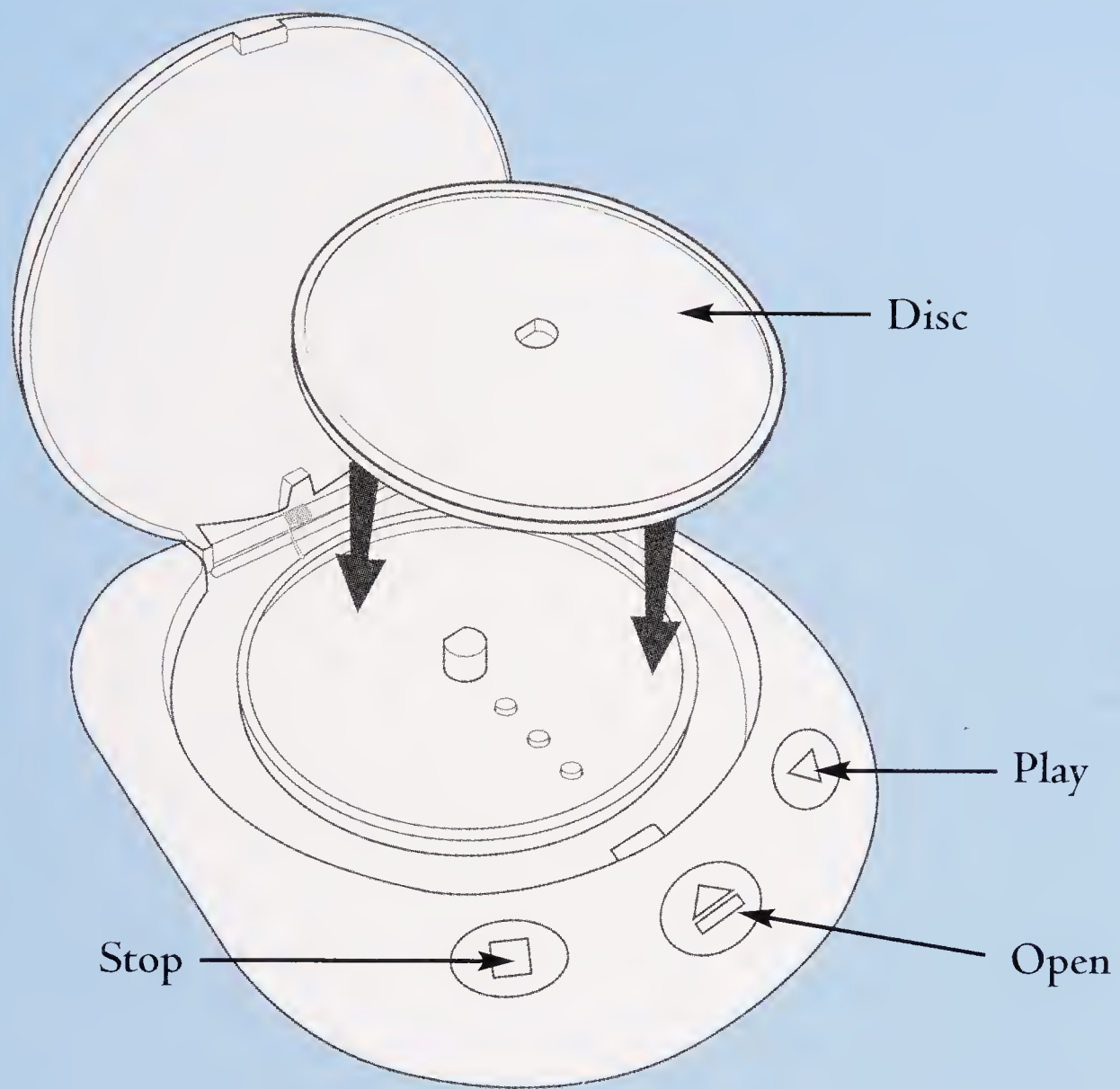
“May I have this dance?” Prince Phillip and his father, King Hubert, asked Aurora at the exact same time. Princess Aurora’s face shone with happiness.

“Go ahead,” said King Hubert. “Watching the two of you together makes me happy.”







**Play
Song**
7

Princess Aurora and Prince Phillip danced 'til all the guests went home. Only the forest animals remained, for they knew that a promise made long ago had been fulfilled in the loveliest way. There was definitely magic in the air!



How to Use the Music Player

Use your music discs to create the perfect atmosphere for the stories as you read.

- Each disc has a Princess name on it. Find the disc that matches the chapter you are reading.
- Open the music player by pressing the middle button . Insert the disc and close the lid. When you are ready to play a song as indicated in the story, press the button on the right . To play the next song, press the right-hand button again . To stop the music at any time during play, press the left-hand button .
- When the player is stopped in the middle of a song, it will start that song when the play button is pressed again.
- After a period of non-use, the player will shut off. When the play button is pressed again, the player will go back to the first song on the disc.

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